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Application No. : 10/053,366 Confirmation No.: 4183  
Filed : January 18, 2002  
Title : METHODS FOR NEGATIVE SELECTIONS UNDER  
SOLID SUPPORTS  
Group Art Unit : 1655  
Examiner : Not Yet Assigned

New York, New York 10020  
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Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Application Paper; [X] a copy of the February 25, 2002 Notice To File Corrected  
Application Papers; and [X] Substituted Drawings - Figs. 1-25 (40 Sheets); to be filed in  
the above-identified patent application.

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- [X] A fee for additional claims is not required.
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE  
CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Sir:

Responsive to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed  
February 25, 2002, applicant hereby submits the following:

1. A copy of the February 25, 2002 Notice to File Corrected  
Application Papers; and
2. Substituted Drawings, Figs. 1-25 (40 Sheets).

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Applicant believes that no fee is due in connection with this paper.

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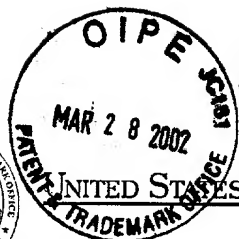
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## NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

*Filing Date Granted*

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. ( 5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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